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SUBJECT: PRESS REPORTS NIXON VISIT TO EGYPT

1. GUMHURIYYA AND SISTER ENGLISH LANGUAGE DAILY EGYPTIAN GAZETTE MARCH 12 FEATURE STORY THAT PRESIDENT NIXON WILL VISIT EGYPT. GUMHURIYYA HAS RED BANNER HEADLINE: "NIXON VISIT TO EGYPT IN MAY." FULL TEXT OF ARTICLE FOLLOWS:

2. QUOTE: GUMHURIYYA POLITICAL EDITOR HAS LEARNED THAT VISIT OF AMERICAN PRESIDENT NIXON TO EGYPT, IN RESPONSE TO PRESIDENT SADAT'S INVITATION, WILL OCCUR DURING FIRST HALF OF MAY. MORE PRECISELY, VISIT WILL BEGIN DURING PERIOD BETWEEN MAY 10 AND MAY 15."

3. "SOME NEWS AGENCIES HAD SAID THAT VISIT WOULD OCCUR DURING APRIL. SOME NEWSPAPERS, QUOTING AMERICAN

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SOURCES, HAD SAID THAT THE VISIT WOULD OCCUR IN JUNE.

HOWEVER, FOREIGN MINISTER ISMAIL FAHMY CONFIRMED TO
GUMHURIYYA POLITICAL EDITOR THAT ACCORDING TO THE
CONTACTS WHICH WERE RECENTLY MADE BETWEEN CAIRO AND
WASHINGTON, THE VISIT WILL OCCUR IN MAY. END QUOTE.
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